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**SUMMARY OF TELECONFERENCE MEETING #5  
CROSS CUTTING ISSUES TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP  
ARIZONA CLIMATE CHANGE ADVISORY GROUP  
April 14, 2006**

**Attendance:**

1. Workgroup members:
  - Kirsten Engel, University of Arizona
  - CV Mathai for Ed Fox, Arizona Public Service
  - Richard Hayslip, Salt River Project
  - Tim Mohin, Intel Corporation
  - Karen O'Regan, City of Phoenix
  - Steve Owens, Arizona Dept of Environmental Quality
  - Jeff Schlegel, Southwest Energy Efficiency Project
  - Brian O'Donnell for Penny Allee Taylor, Southwest Gas Company
2. ADEQ Staff:
  - Kurt Maurer and Marnie Greenbie
3. Center for Climate Strategies (CCS):
  - Tom Peterson and Ken Colburn
4. Others:
  - Kate Widland, Salt River Project

**Background documents:**

(all posted at: [www.azclimatechange.us/template.cfm?FrontID=4846](http://www.azclimatechange.us/template.cfm?FrontID=4846))

1. Notice & Agenda
2. Powerpoint presentation for meeting
3. Summary of March 30, 2006 CC TWG call
4. GHG Reporting Design Options Matrix
5. GHG Registry Design Options Matrix

**Discussion items and key issues:**

1. Members on the call had no objection to the March 30, 2006 call summary.
2. Ken Colburn of CCS updated members about the April 4-5, 2006 Western Regional Air Partnership (WRAP) meeting in Salt Lake City, which in part included discussion of approaches to establishing a Western regional registry. There was interest among the states represented at the meeting and follow-up discussions are planned to determine possible next steps.
3. Ken Colburn completed a review of matrices for the GHG reporting and registry design options.
  - a. Members agreed that, with respect to reporting and registries, the purpose of the next scheduled CC TWG call would be to finalize the principles of a reporting/registry system that the TWG wants to recommend for CCAG consideration.
4. Director Owens proposed that members consider expanding the CC TWG's core objectives to include a brief recommendation on the topic of adaptation. He noted that there are several other groups working in more narrowly focused ways to address climate change impacts in Arizona, and that the results of these efforts will be directed to the Governor's attention separate from the work of the CCAG. Director Owens said it makes sense for the CCAG to consider including a recommendation in its final report that acknowledges that Arizona will need to adapt to the effects of climate change while the state simultaneously implements actions to reduce GHG emissions.
  - a. There was no objection to expanding the CC TWG objectives to include adaptation, and CCS agreed to develop a straw proposal for consideration on the next scheduled CC TWG call.

**Next steps:**

The next CC TWG call will be Thursday, May 4, from 8 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Mountain Standard Time. In addition to the items referenced above, the call will include brief discussion of the public education design options.